

**International Textile
Manufacturers Federation (ITMF)
International Cotton Committee
on Testing Methods (ICCTM)
Stickiness WG**

Introduction

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Agenda of the ITMF meeting

Stickiness WG/TF

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Introduction, bibliography and latest information

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Measurements based on counts : variability and methods of analysis

Harzallah O., ENSISA LPMT

Adhesion Energy study of some Physiological and Entomological sugars



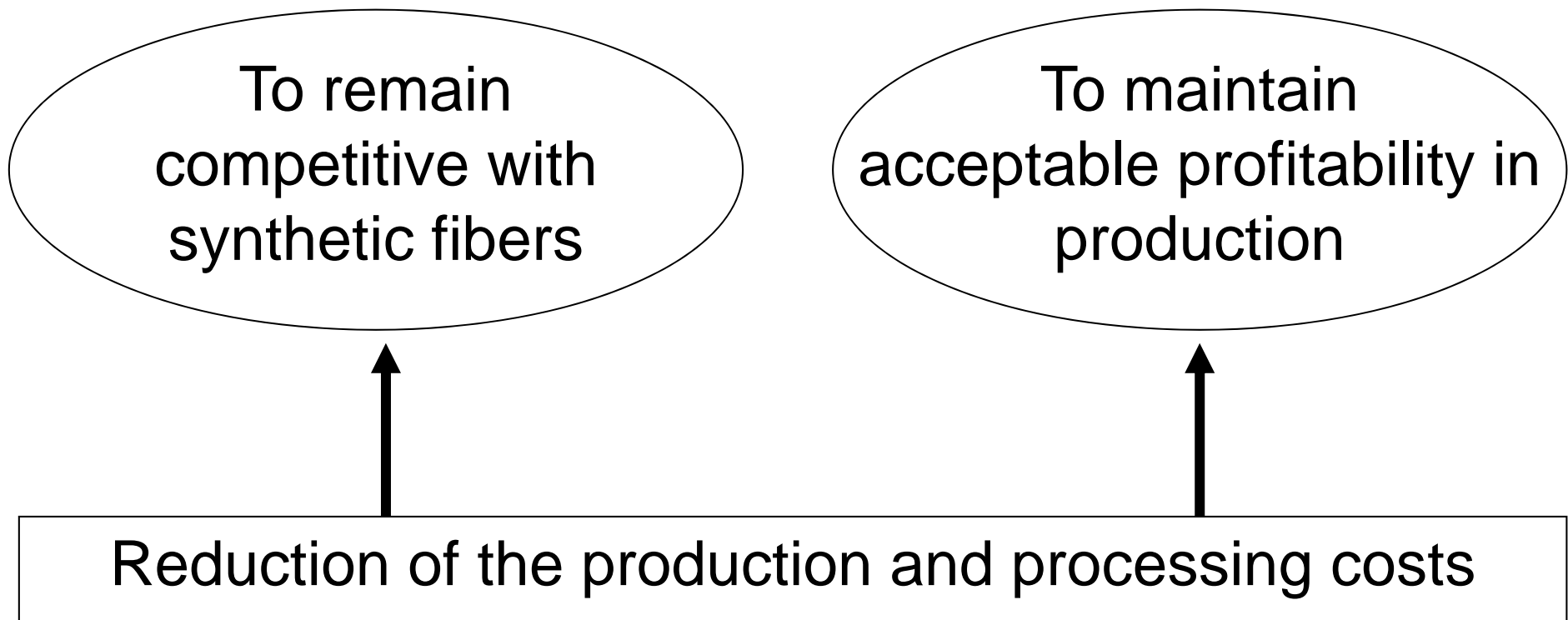
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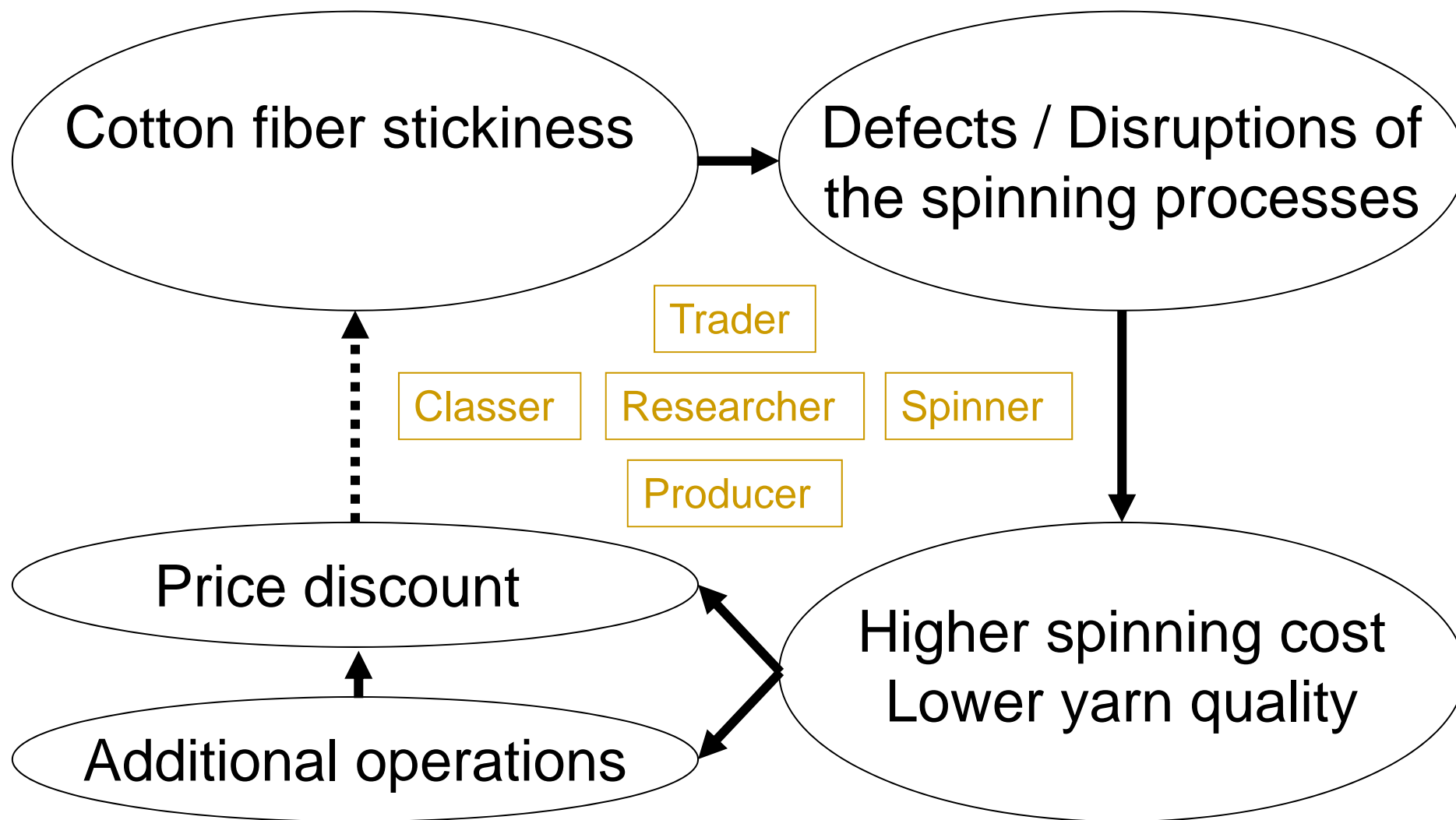
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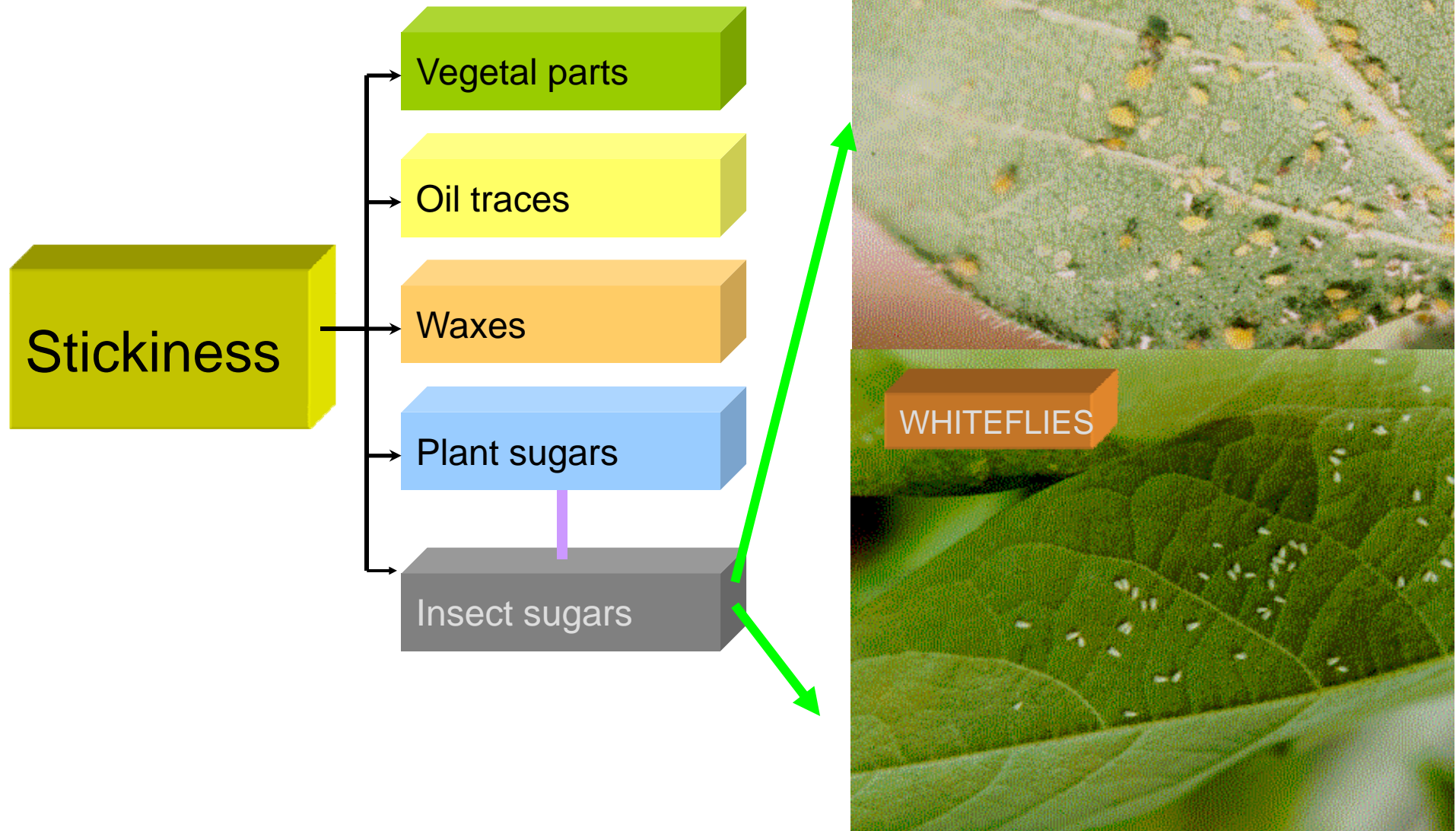
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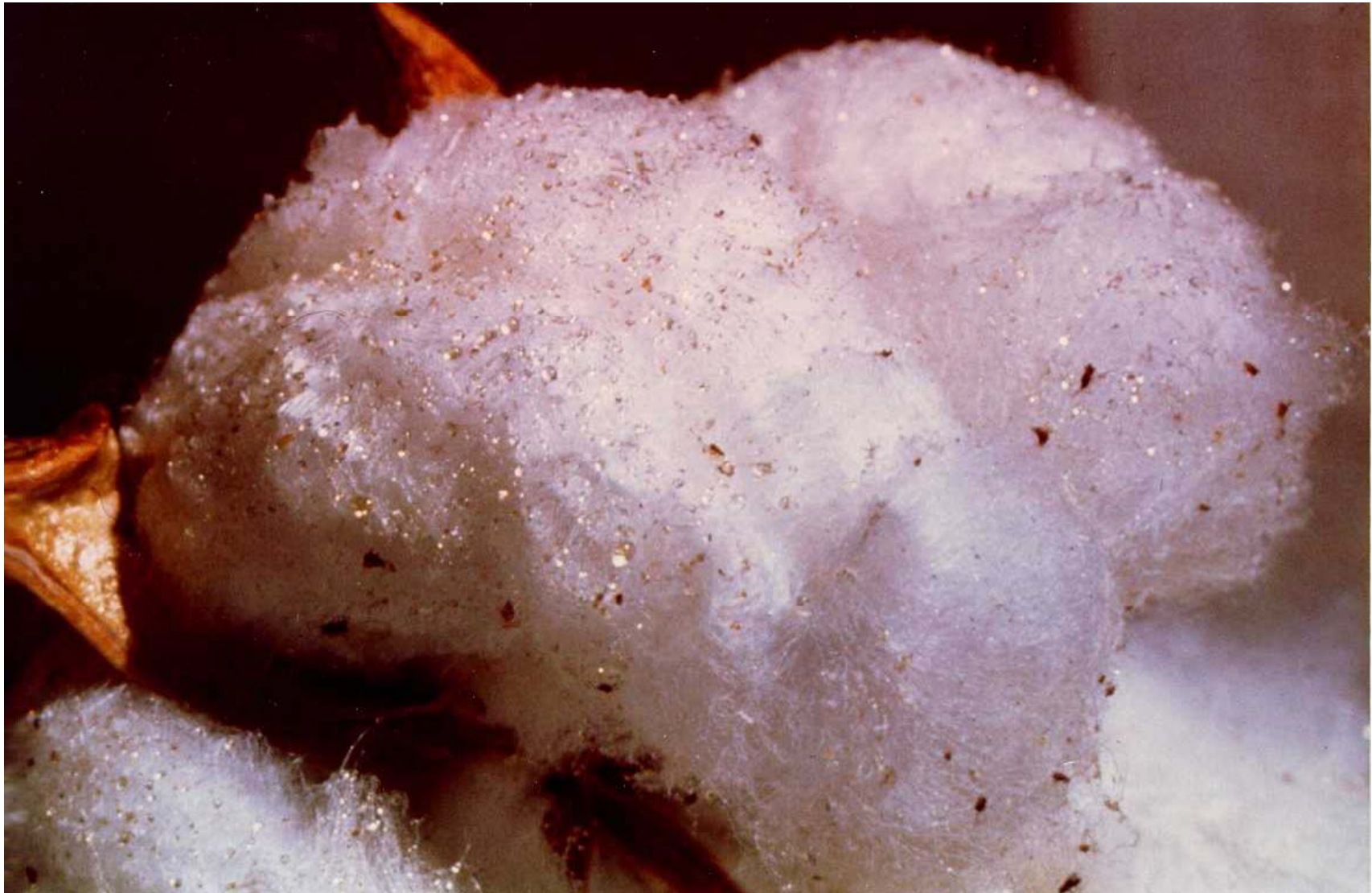
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Mature boll covered with honeydew



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Main sugars (in %) determined by HPLC in aphid, whitefly and aleurod honeydew, harvested on *G. hirsutum*

Insect	Mono-saccharides	Polysaccharides		
		Sucrose	Trehalulose	Melezitose
<i>Aphis gossypii</i>	25	12	1	38
<i>Bemisia tabaci</i>	19	16	44	17
<i>Trialeurodes abutilonea</i>	44	33	3	0

Origins of stickiness

- The most important cause of stickiness is due to these entomological sugars.
- Honeydew has now become one of the main contaminants present in cotton.
- Sticky points remain in the cotton from the field up to the spinning processes where they cause production and quality losses.
- The behavior of contaminated fibres during processing is highly dependent upon the quantity and the type of the main sugars present in fibres



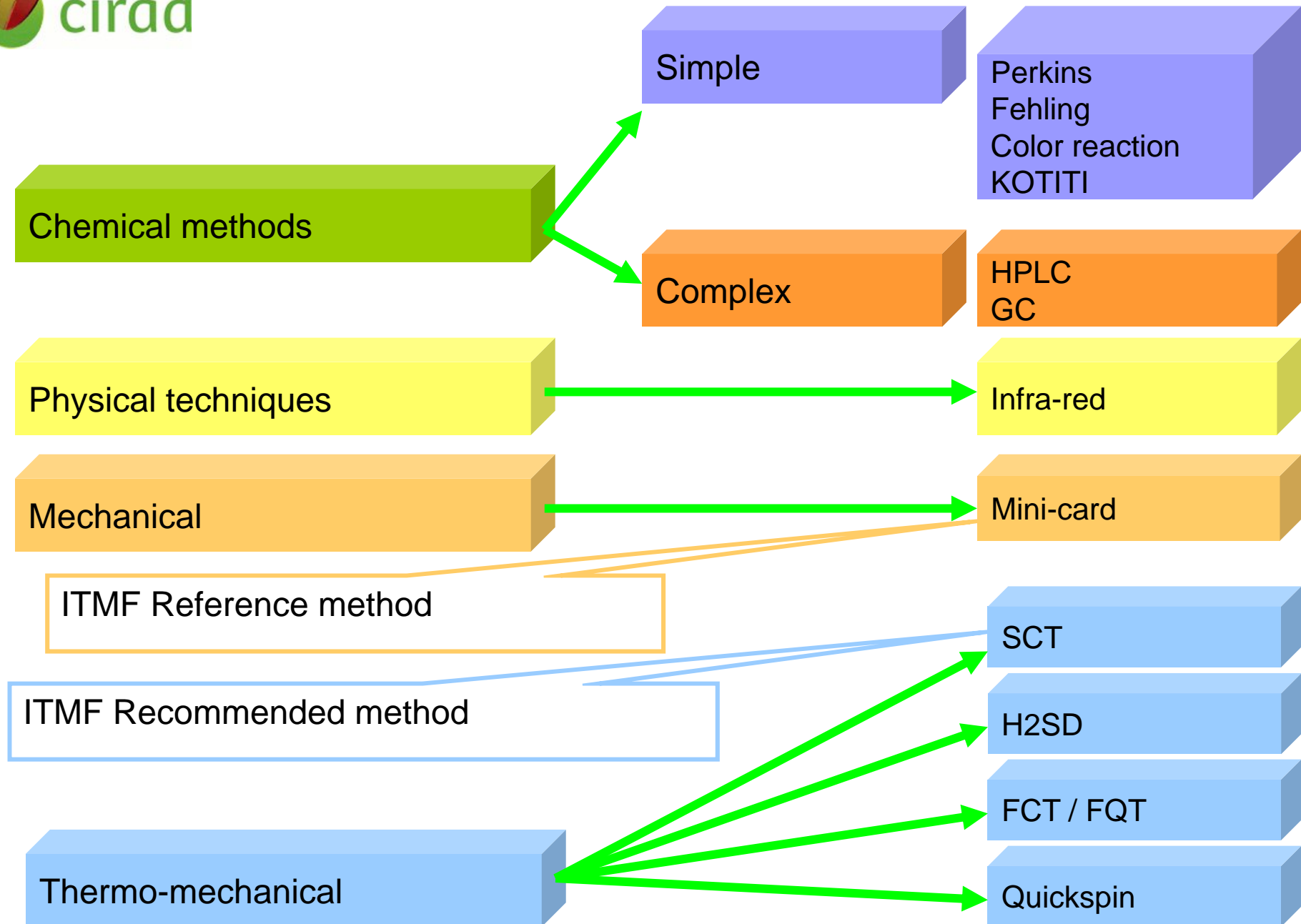
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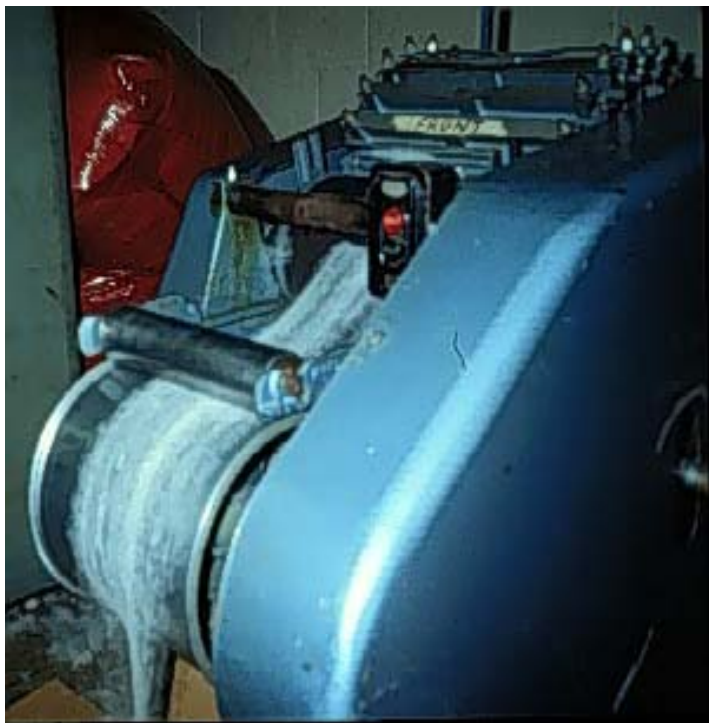
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Some measuring devices for stickiness evaluation

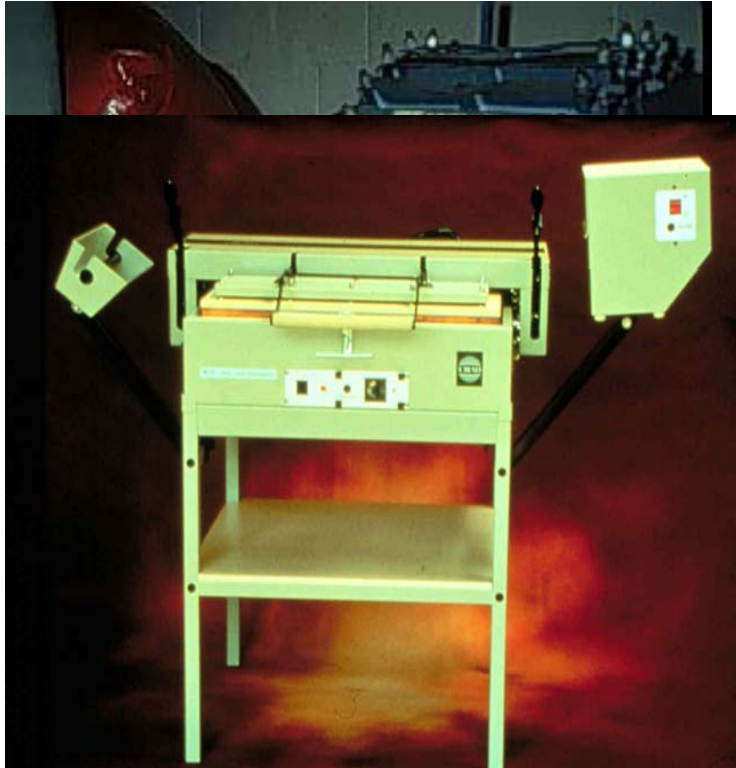


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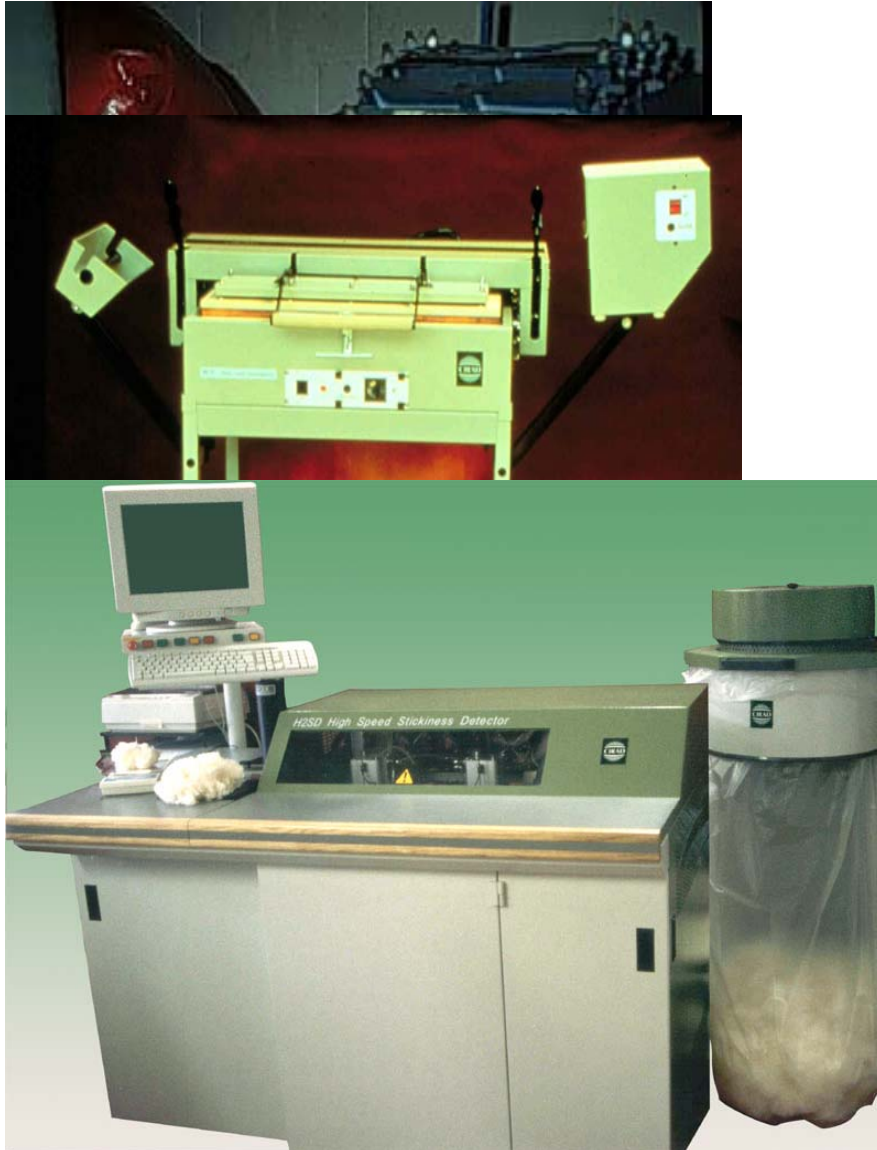


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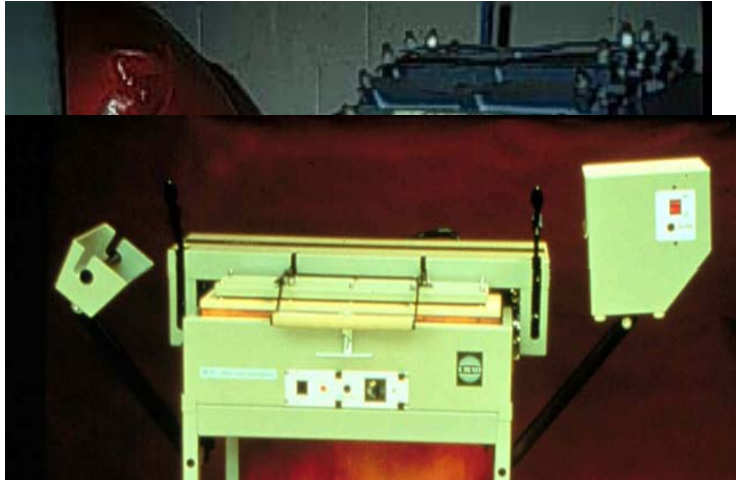


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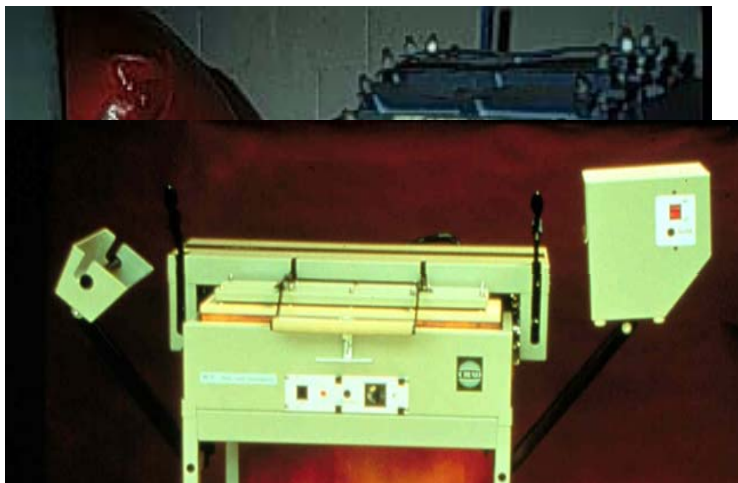


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Bibliography on stickiness

Causes, measurements and consequences

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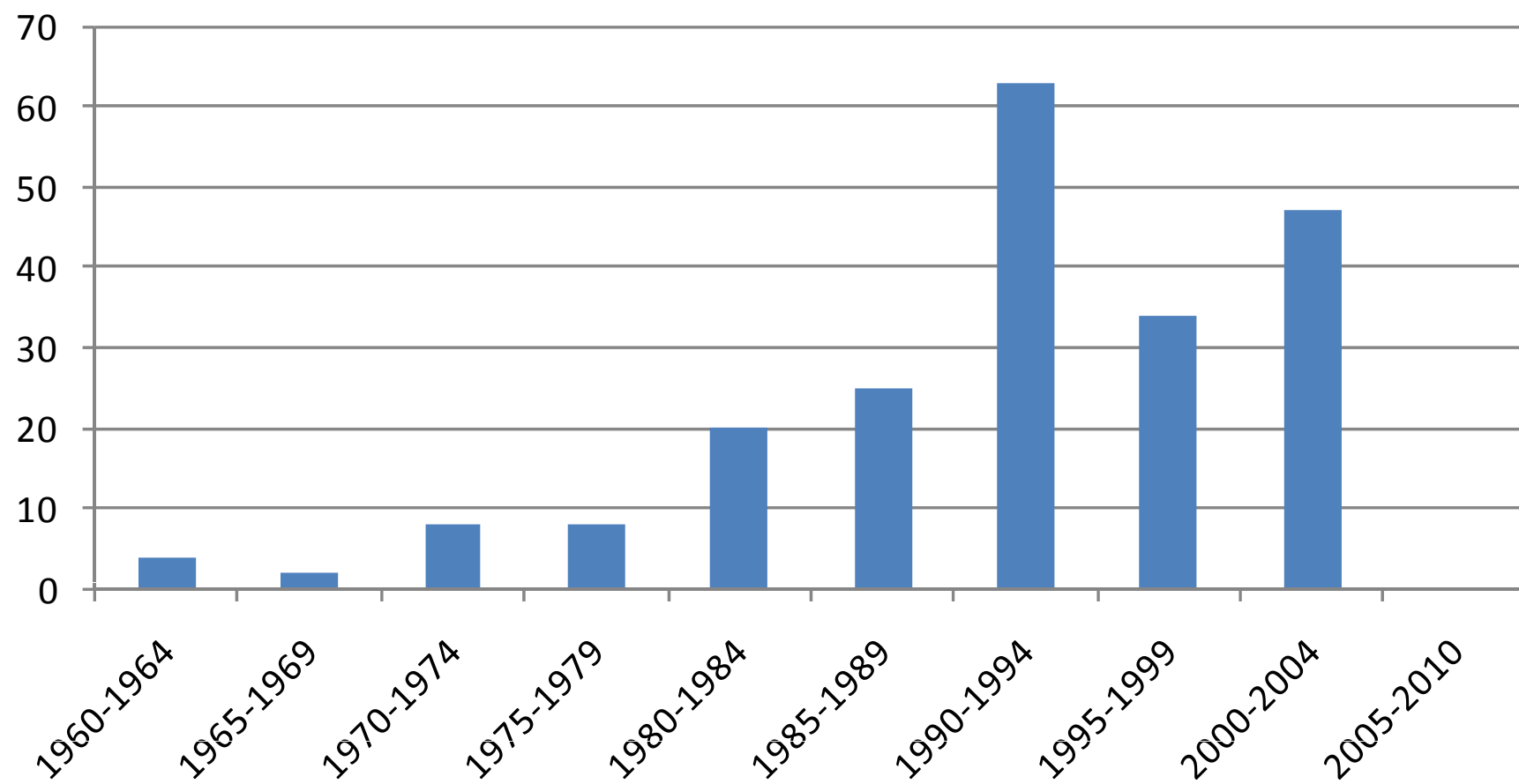
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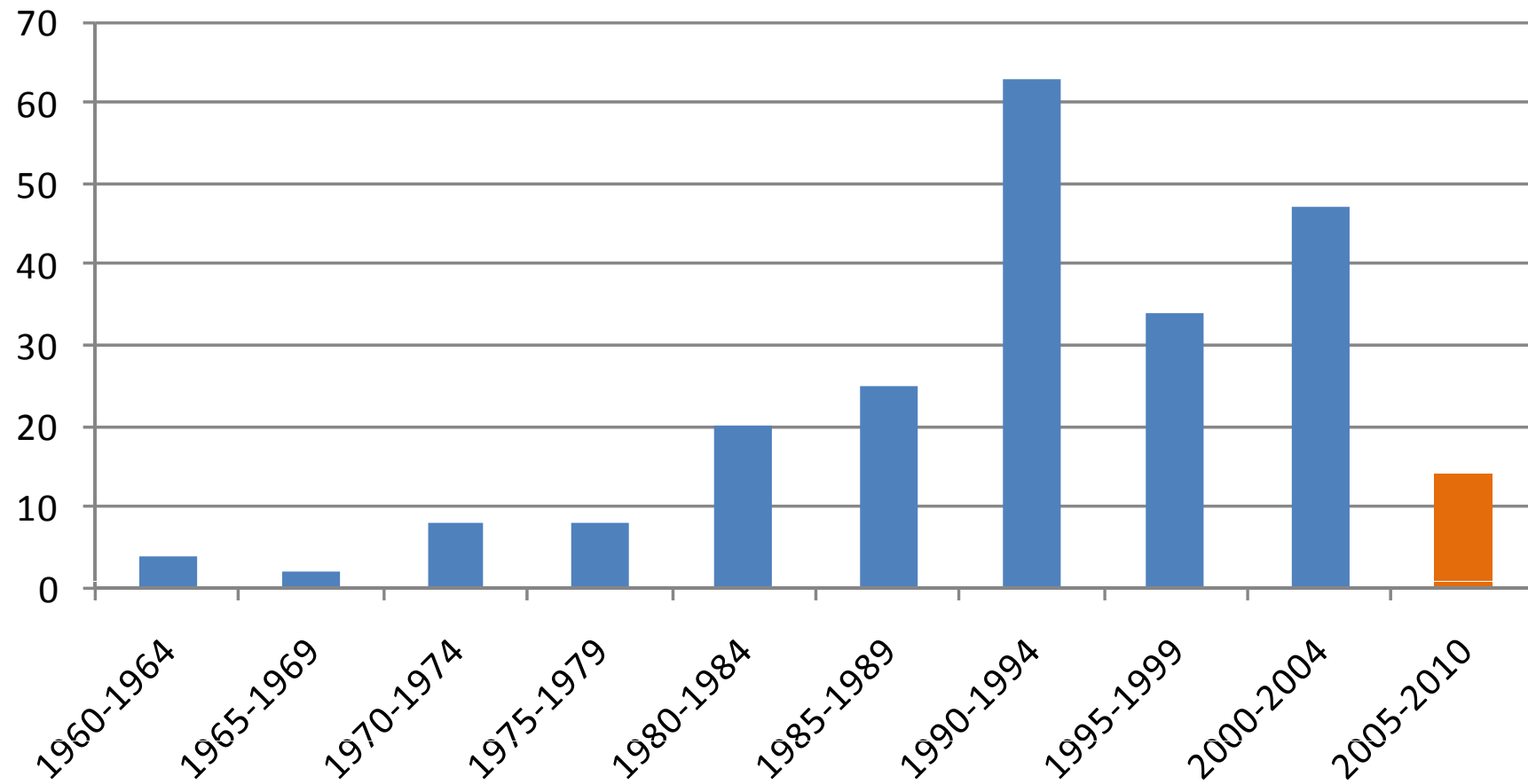
Introduction of the bibliography

- In order to allow everyone to learn more about this contamination, we decided to prepare this extract of the available literature. We retained around 214 references out of thousands of available references, focusing on the cause of stickiness, on the possible means of evaluation and/or measurement and on major consequences during fibre processing.
- The initial bibliography covers a period going from the 1960's to 2008.

Number of documents on stickiness



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Thanks for attention ... and suggestions



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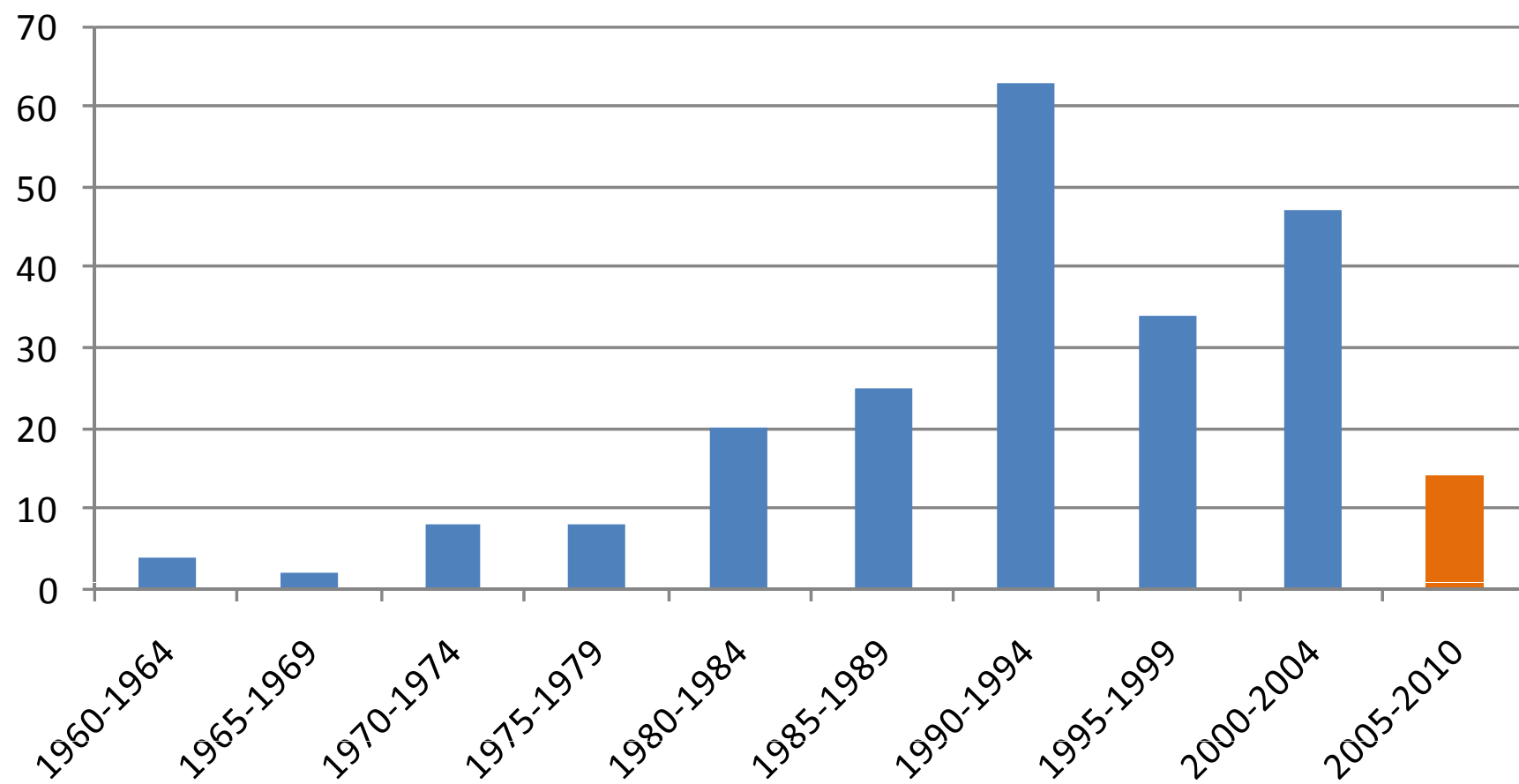


Latest information ITMF - ICCTM 2010

- ✓ SYDEL SA, Montpellier, France manufactures SCT and H2SD
- ✓ Lintronics: no news since 2008 and before
- ✓ KOTITl: prepared an ISO standards that currently comes to the National Standardization Bodies (AFNOR, DIN, ...)
- ✓ No (public) patent this year

- **SYDEL : Axes de développement de la nouvelle version (H2SDv2)**
 - **Coût Machine**
 - **Technologies Actuelles**
 - **Réduction du consommable**
 - **Des bases solides pour les développements futurs**
 - Différentiation du type de collage Mouche Blanche / Puceron (US patents)
 - Evaluation du taux de collage par spectrométrie.
 - **Un partenariat reconduit avec le CIRAD pour vérifier le niveau de lecture et sa précision**

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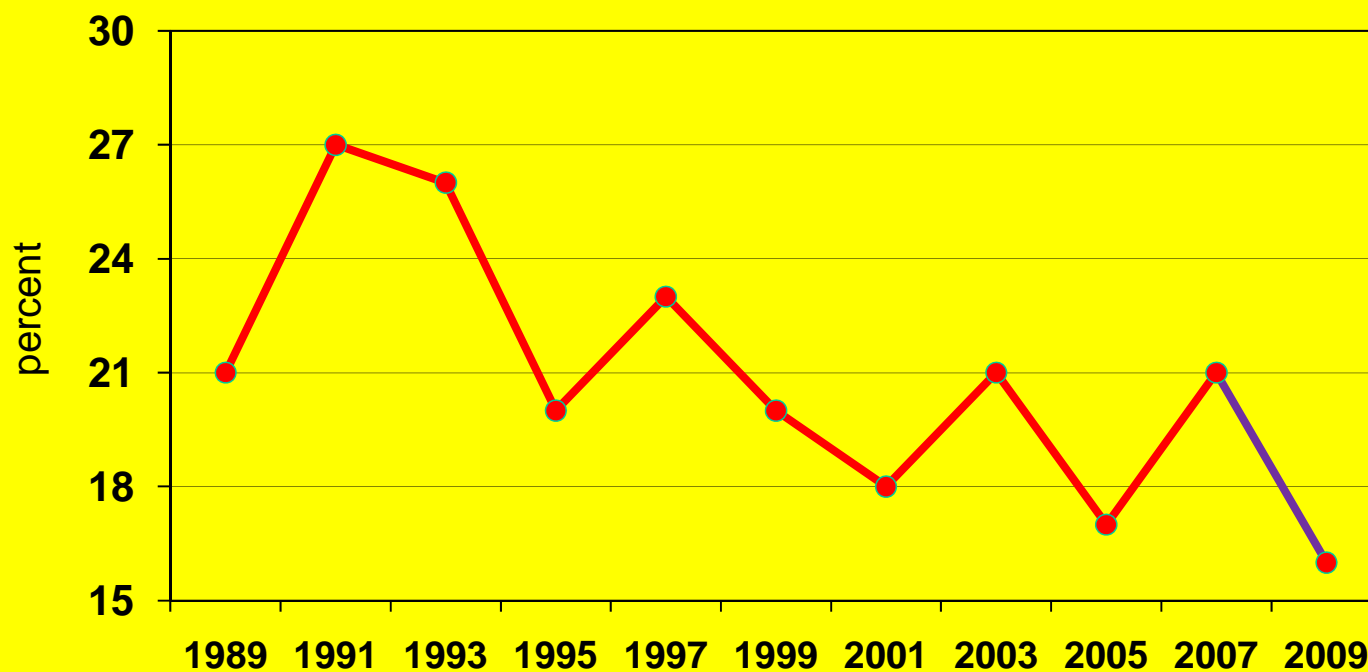
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